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TRANSMITTAL OF PATENT APPLICATION, BASED UPON CONVERSION FROM A PROVISIONAL APPLICATION

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing, pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 119(e)(1) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.78(a)(3) and § 1.78(a)(4) is the non-provisional patent application, based upon an earlier-filed provisional application, of:

Inventor(s):

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Title:

ANTIMICROBIAL COATED METAL SHEET

Drawings:

3 Sheets

Papers Enclosed:

Specification, 83 Claims and Abstract (Total of 52

Pages); Drawings - 3 Sheets; Cover Sheet; Return

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\$1,844.00

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Basic Fee						
Total Claims	83		20	63	x 18.00	1,134.00
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Earlier-filed *PROVISIONAL APPLICATION*: Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: "This is a non-provisional application based upon an earlier filed provisional application, Serial No. 60/287,615 filed April 30, 2001."

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